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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
 Group Art Unit: 2612

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For : DIAPHRAGM CONTROL APPARATUS FOR LENS OF CCTV CAMERA

**Mail Stop Amendment**

**Commissioner for Patents**

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Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment

Randolph Building

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Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

\_\_\_ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

\_\_\_ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

\_\_\_ A Request for Extension of Time.

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\_\_\_ Three replacement sheets of drawings.

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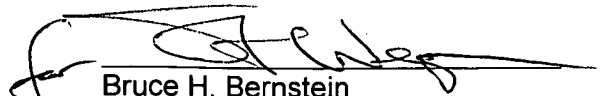
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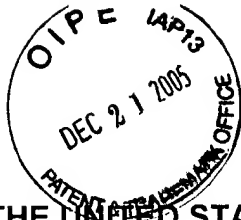
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 21, 2005, in which the three month shortened statutory period for responding thereto runs to December 21, 2005, reconsideration of the outstanding rejection and an indication of the allowability of all the pending claims in the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.